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By the King.

WHereas, ſithence the late aſſembly in Parliament, We did for the raiſing of neceſſary Summes of Money, to bee imployed in the defence of the Realme, direct Our ſeuerall Letters, and alſo ſent ſundry Priuie Seales into diuers parts of this Kingdome, of which Wee had cauſe to expect a better Returne then hath followed, which notwithſtanding We impute not to any diſaffection in Our people, but to ſome miſcarriage in that buſineſſe, & the auerſeneſſe of ſome not ſo well affected: And now, for that Our intention is, not to trouble Our Subiects many wayes at once, whatſoeuer the preſent neceſſitie of the common defence requireth; Our will and pleaſure therfore is, & We do by this Our Royal Proclamation ſignifie and declare, that ſuch Our Letters which required the free gift of Our Subiects, and alſo the Priuie Seales iſſued ſithence the laſt Parliament, ſhall be from henceforth remitted and diſcharged, without any further demaund, or payment to be had or made thereupon. And for ſuch Our louing Subiects, who haue already giuen any money vpon the ſaid Letters, or lent Vs Money vpon the ſayd Priuie Seales, iſſued ſince the laſt Parliament, Wee haue giuen order how the ſame ſhall bee repayed vnto them without delay.

Giuen at Our Honour of Hampton Court, the 22. day of September, in the ſecond yeere of Our Reigne of Great Britaine, France and Ireland.

God ſaue the King.

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